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SUBJ: FED GRANT TO FINANCE PAVING OF LAMA- KARA - KANDE STRETCH

OF LOME - OUAGADOUGOU ROAD.

1. TOGO PRESSE OF MARCH 13, 1973 ANNOUNCES THAT ON BASIS FAVORABLE RECOMMENDATION FROM COMMITTEE OF EUROPEAN DEVELOPMENT

FUND, EEC HAS ACCORDED 1.280 MILLION CFA FRANC GRANT (APPROX. \$5.5 MILLION) TO TOGO TO FINANCE THE SURFACING OF THE LAMA- KARA - KANDE SECTION OF HIGHWAY BETWEEN LOME AND OUAGADOUGOU. INSTEAD OF FOLLOWING ROUTE OF EXISTING DIRT ROAD VIA KADJALLA, A DISTANCE OF 70 KMS, NEW ROAD WILL TAKE MORE DIRECT COURSE OF 56 KMS THROUGH NIAMTOUGOU FOR WHICH B. C. E. O. M. HAS ALREADY DONE TECHNICAL STUDIES. PROJECTED ROAD WILL BE 9 METERS WIDE AND DESIGNED TO HANDLE ANNUAL TRAFFIC OF 500,000 TONS. WORK SCHEDULED BEGIN OCTOBER 1973 AND TERMINATE DURING 1975.

2. WITH FINANCING THIS STRECTCH NOW ASSURED, THERE REMAINS TO BE FINANCED IN TOGO ONLY THE PORTION OF ROAD BETWEEN KANDE AND THE TOGO - UPPER VOLTA FRONTIER (220 KMS) FOR WHICH FUNDING IS STILL BEING SOUGHT. FED HAS ALREADY FINANCED THE TECHNICAL STUDIES FOR THIS SECTION.

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